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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT application of)
Shunpei YAMAZAKI)
Serial No. 08/065,757) Art Unit: 1108
Filed: May 24, 1993) Examiner: C. Bonner
For: SUPERCONDUCTING CERAMICS)

AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Official Action of January 10, 1994, please amend
the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1 and 20 as follows:

Claim 1, line 8, after "and" insert --B--.

20. (Amended) A method for producing a superconducting
ceramic according to claim 16, which comprises mixing together
stoichiometric amounts of the oxides and/or carbonates of the constituent
metals, in powder form, compressing the mixture to a desired shape and
sintering the mixture at an elevated temperature within the range of 500-
1000°C.

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